

Notice of Allowability

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09/986,936

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Applicant(s)

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1. ☒ This communication is responsive to amendment and remarks filed on October 24, 07.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-19,24-45 (now renumbered claims 1-41).
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
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4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
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6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☐ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08),
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4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
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8. ☐ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
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ZARNI MAUNG
PRIMARY EXAMINER

This action is responsive to the amendment and remarks filed on October 24, 2007. Claims 1-19, 24-45 are presented for further examination.

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner Amendment to the record appear below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 C.F.R 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the Issue Fee.

Authorization for this Examiner's Amendment was given in a telephone interview with Ms. Arlene P. Neal (Reg. No. 43,828) on December 21, 2007.

In the claims

Claim 1, line 10, after the words "the first server", please delete "provides", and insert --- redirects the request for ---;

Claim 1, line 11, after the words "one second server", please delete "to be then provided", and insert --- , each of said at least one second server providing service ---;

Claim 24, line 10, after the words "the computing device", please delete "provides", and insert --- redirects the request for ---;

Claim 24, line 12, after the words "one second server", please delete "to be then provided", and insert --- , each of said at least one second server providing service ---;

Claim 34, line 9, after the words "wherein the server", please delete "provides", and insert --- redirects the request for ---;

Claim 34, line 10, after the words "one second server", please delete "to be then provided", and insert ---, each of said at least one second server providing service ---;

Claim 44, line 14, before the words "the service in a single", please delete "provides", and insert --- redirects the request for ---;

Claim 44, line 15, after the words "second server", please delete "to be then provided", and insert ---, each of said at least one second server providing service ---;

Claim 45, line 13, after the words "wherein the first server", please delete "provides", and insert --- redirects the request for ---;

Claim 45, lines 14-15, after the words "one second server, please delete "to be then provided", and insert ---, each of said at least one second server providing service ---;

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Zarni Maung whose telephone number is (571) 272-3939. The Examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday from 8:30 to 5:00 p.m. If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the Examiner's Supervisor, John Follansbee can be reached at (571) 272-3964. Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 305-3800/4700.

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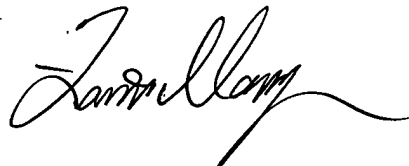
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Zarni Maung', with a stylized flourish extending from the end.

**ZARNI MAUNG
PRIMARY EXAMINER**